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In re Application of

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**RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR ELECTION
OF SPECIES/RESTRICTION**

SIR:

Applicant hereby requests a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of March 14, 2003. A check in the amount of \$110.00 in payment of the government fee for a one-month extension of time is enclosed herewith. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

In response to the Requirement for Restriction Election of Species dated March 14, 2003,

applicant submits as follows:

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Applicant elects the claims of Group I (Claims 1-25) for further prosecution in the above captioned application.

Applicant elects to prosecute Species II (shown by Fig. 5) of Invention Group I. Claims 1, 2, 3, 12, 13, 14, and 15 are readable on this species.

It is respectfully submitted that independent claim 1 is a generic claim and that all withdrawn claims 4-11 and 16-25 are entitled to consideration upon allowance of claim 1.

Claims 26-33 are cancelled without prejudice or disclaimer.

Applicant reserves the right to pursue the non-elected claims in a divisional application prior to issuance of a patent on the instant application.

Respectfully submitted,
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